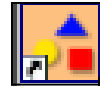




CONTAINERS

Containers can be used to sort or match items. If items or terms are sorted to the wrong containers, the items can be made to spring back to their starting place.

1. Open ActivStudio.
2. Create the Container. Containers need to be a solid object. Click on the “Resource Library” button and then click on the “Shared Shapes” button.



3. Drag and drop a shape or shapes onto the flipchart page. There should be a shape for each category that will be sorted.

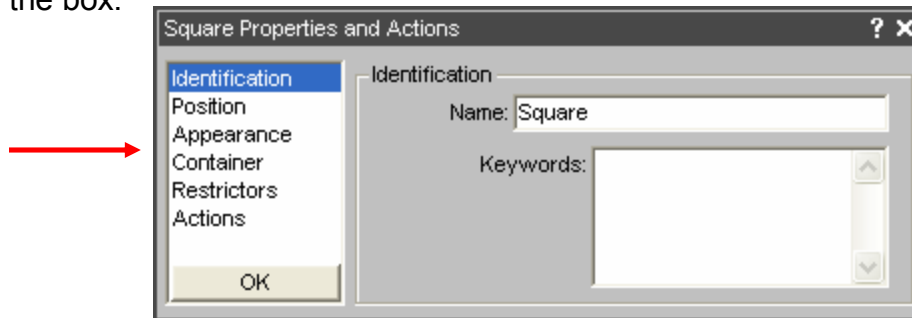


4. You can change the color of the shapes by using the “Fill Tool.”
5. Insert the images or words that you will be matching to the containers.

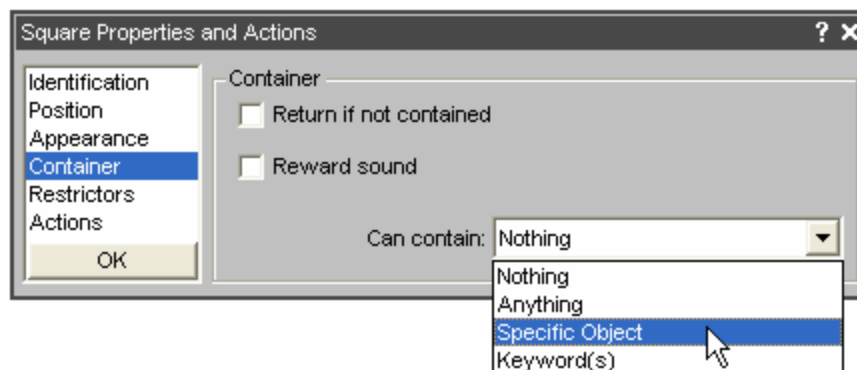
6. Double click on one of the containers. The “Object Edit Toolbox” will appear. Click the check mark in the box.



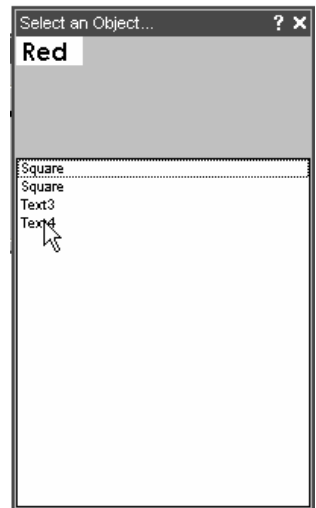
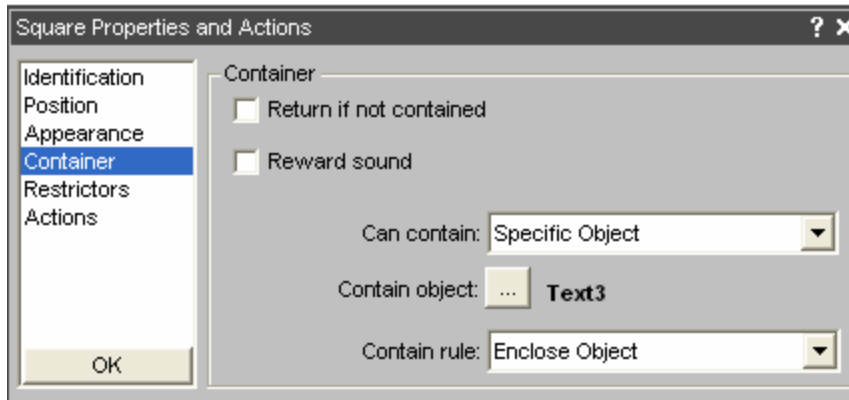
7. The “Square Properties and Actions” box will appear. Click on the word, “Container” on the left side of the box.



8. When the next box appears, select from the “Can contain:” dropdown box and choose “Specific Object.”



9. The “Select an Object” box will list all items that appear on your page. Move your mouse over each item in the list and you will see it appear at the top of the box in the gray area. Click on the item you want to match to the container you clicked on.
10. The “Square Properties and Actions” box will now include a box called, “Contain object.”



11. If you would like a sound to play when the items are matched correctly, check the “Reward sound” box and then double click on the sound you want to play. Then click, “OK.”
12. Repeat steps 6 - 11 for each container.
13. Double click on one of the items that will be matched to a container. The “Object Edit Toolbox” will appear. Click the check mark in the box.



14. If you want the object to return to its original position if it is matched incorrectly then check the “Return if not contained” box. Then click, “OK.”
15. Repeat steps 13 - 14 for each item that will be matched to a container.

